Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty, and concern for others, and each of these attributes can be ascribed to Kathy Satter, who is retiring at the end of the 2015-2016 school year after 35 years of teaching; and,

Whereas, For 17 years, Kathy organized the Little Legislator Program by having each 4th grader in the Madison Central School adopt a legislator and correspond with their adopted legislator; and,

Whereas, Kathy's students set up a legislature in their classroom, elect leadership, draft bills, and hold committee hearings and floor actions on bills, and the class spends a day at the State Capitol during the legislative session to observe the process first hand; and,

Whereas, Kathy's efforts encouraged many of Madison's youth to have a better understanding of the legislative process; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper to make special note of this outstanding South Dakotan on the momentous occasion of her retirement:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 23, 2016, as

KATHY SATTER DAY

in South Dakota, and I join her family, colleagues, and friends in wishing her a fulfilling and happy retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eighth Day of February in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Sixteen.

Dennis Daugaard

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Shantel Krebs

Shantel Krebs, Secretary of State